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SUMMARY OF DAY'S NEWS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 26.—Forcest for Tuesday and Wednesday;
Virginia—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday;
warmer Wednesday; fresh northwest

For north and South Carolina and Georgia—Fair and warmer Tucsday; fresh to light northwest winds.

Following the chilly weather of the past few days, last night was an exceedingly cold one. Continued cold is exted to-day, but to-morrow, according the forecast, it will be somewhat

RICHMOND.

risoner at the Second Police Station age himself in his cell—The sankling as dispute settled by the adoption of Creashaw plan—Son of J. A. Scott led a statement to the public regard-the kniling of his father—Big truck overturned while going to a fire, and a man is slightly hurt—Blaze at the wer Gas Works—A land os auxiliary and at Beth Ahaba—Ministers refer to a contract a charge in a passon and or the

from Wilmington; came near being lynen

Professional operators have little difficulty in bidding piles up, but offerings are light at the advance; no.09 three. Thought that the roles is under the man size is severally are light at the advance; no.09 three. Thought that the roles is under the man size is used to help and then saw that Dolan was suspended are light at the advance; no.09 three. Thought that the roles is under the man size is severally and then saw that Dolan was suspended are light at the advance; no.09 three mans is used to man the man size is several and then saw that Dolan was suspended in the man size is severally and then saw that Dolan was suspended was a teapy man weighing probably 176 pounds, but his weight did not break the part of the Real was not his was a heavy man weighing probably 176 pounds, but his weight did not break the was not his was a heavy man weighing probably 176 pounds, but his weight did not break the was not him the was not him the part of the suicide, certainly not with the belt strap, and there was nothing as an attempt at suicide, certainly not with the belt with a suicide, certainly not with the belt with a suicide, certainly not with the belt with a suicide, certainly not with the belt was pulled, conditional and according his weight did not break the was nothing as naticent was nothing at suicide, certainly not with the was nothing at suicide, certainly not with the was nothing at suici

MINERS' MASS-MEETING OF MANY THOUSAND

(By Associated Press.)
BUTTE, MONT, Oct. 29.—From the steps of the county courthouse in this city, F. Augustus Heinze this afternoin addressed a mass meeting of the miners of Butte, more than 15,99 persons being in attendance. As the representative of John MacGinnis, Mr. Heinze made a counter proposition to the offer of the Butte miners to purchase Mr. MacGinnis stock in the Boston and Montana and Parrott mining companies and thus and the littingston with the Amalgamated Cop-

when would be to the control of the Anaconda President Scallou, of the Anaconda Company, to-night rejected the Heinze propositions. He said the proposals amounted to a turning down of the tions. He said the proposals ed to a turning down of the union plan, and were unreason-

IS FOUND HANGED IN HIS CELI

The Desperate Deed of Thomas Dolan.

USED A BELT TO TAKE HIS LIFE

Strapped Himself to the Grating of the Window.

HIS DEATH WAS DUE TO STRANGULATION

Fighting-The Dead Man Survived Body Found by Police Not Very Long After Deed Was Done.

in his cell, but on closer inspection was horrified to find the man's feet several inches from the bench. He rushed to him, and then saw that Dolan was suspended

HIGH POSITION

Lieut, Capps Succeeds Rear-Admiral Bowles as Chief of Bureau of Construction.

(Special to The Times-D.spatch.) WASHINGTON, D. C., October 28.— Lieutenant Washington Lee Capps, of Virginia, will succeed Rear-Admiral Bowles, resigned, as chief of the Bareau of Construction and Repair, Navy Department, struction and Repair, Navy Department,
Lieutenant Capps is at present stationed at the League Island Yards. He
nas had a great deal of experience in
naval construction for a man of his
years, and in addition to much service at
home, has served in the Philippines and
in Cuba. He is about forty years of age.
The resignation of Rear-Admiral Bowles
came as a great surprise to naval men
and the public generally. It is understood
that the testimony in the shipbuilding
trust investigation Saturday, in which it
was stated that Admiral Bowles held
stock in the concern, caused haste in tendering the resignation.

cently by a train at some point in Penn-sylvania. The report has never been fully corroborated, however.
While the unhappy man was gasping in the agonies of death in the station-house the music from a dance in full swing across the street must have been watted to his ears, for the hall was going mer-rily on when a reporter visited the sta-tion-house.

COUNT AND COUNTESS

(By Associated Press.)

yearly rent roll totalling \$15,000, began here to-day. Count Kwilecki appears at

GOLD BRICK AKTISTS SEEK FOR BAIL

THE NEGRO SUBJECT OF A CONFERENCE

sical Society, an organ study of the condition of ple in the United States. Society, an organization for the of the condition of the colored peo-

THE ARMOR PLATE AWARDS ARE MADE

THREE KILLED AND FOUR FATALLY HURT

FRENCH BAKK LOST WITH ALL ON BOARD

The movements of the Savoyard are not reported in any of the available shipping registers.

CAPTAIN WOULD NOT LEAVE SHIP

Stuck to Vessel and Was Killed by Bursting of Steamer's Boi er.

(By Associated Press.)
SAULT STE MARIE, MICH., Oct. 26.—
The steamer W. F. Sauber was wrecked
off Whitefish Point, thirty miles from off Whitefish Point, thirty miles from here, early to-day and Captain W. E. Morris and Oiler Frank Roumson were drowned. The rest of the crew of ninoteen men were taken off the Sauber by the crew of the steamer Yale. The Yale's crew worked from 11 o'clock last night until 3 this morning rescu. t. t.e crew of the Sauber. Robinson w. pinched between the yawi boat and the Yale and went down before help could reach him. Captain Morris was on the deck of the Sauber after all the others had be a taken off, when the steamer's boiler burst, and he was blown into the lace. The blow on Lake Superior is reported to be the worst in twenty-eight years.

FIFTY THOUSAND **DOLLAR FIRE IN WILSON** (By Associated Press.)

WILSON, N. C., Oct. 26.—The S. W. Venable Tobacco Company's factory, owned by the Branch Banking Company, and used for the storage of leaf, was burned at 10 o'clock to-night. The Carter and Whitehead Company, adjoining, had their stock badly damaged by smoke and water. The Venable Company's loss is estimated at \$50,000, that of Carter and Company at \$5,000. The cause of the fire is,

ARRAIGNS MR. BRYAN SEVERELY

Judge Stoddard Unsparing in His Terms.

ARE PLACED ON TRIAL SAYS HE IS GUILTY OF SUBTERFUGE

Knew Direct Bequest Would Not Stand.

THE NEBRASKAN SPEAKS FOR HIMSELF

Stand Being Maligned for Political Belief, He Could Stand it for Carrying Out the Wishes of

His Friend.

that if Mr. Bennett could stand being

MORE QUESTIONING

After the letter had been read and ad-mitted Mr. Stoddard asked Mr. Bryan: "What conduct on the part of Mrs. Ben-nett's attorney did you refer to in this

fied of the fact. Mr. Bryan has told your honor that Mr. Bennett wanted to make a different disposition of the \$50.000, to give it to him absolutely. Mr. Bryan would not have it, and the reason is plain. Mr. Bryan is a lawyer. The common law says that when a lawyer draws a will in which he obtains a benefaction he must, show that the influence which he exerted was not undue. Is if any wonder, then, that when Mr. Bryan found himself confronted with this situation, he would not permit Mr. Bennett to make that provision directly to himself, and so this subterfuge was subtituted in place of it? But this sealed letter does not state Mr. Bennett's will. It states Mr. Bryan's will. A solemn letter addressed to the wife of Mr. Bennett secretes from her the fact that \$10,000 was going to the wife of this man. Why was it? Did it enter into the calculation that Mrs. Bennett might object? Mr. Bryan knew perfectly well that the provisions of that section of the will are proscribed by law.

Mr. Stoddard spoke of the Chicago letter as a last despairing effort, and and Bryan was desperately driven in avanted

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MR. BRYAN REPLIES. Mr. Bryan rose to his feet as Mr. Stod-dard concluded, and in stillness that was almost oppressive, began speaking. He

almost oppressive, began speaking. He said in part:

"It is incumbent upon me to respond to so much of the argument as comes under the head of facts. I wrote the widow the letter that I did because I believed other causes than law inspired him. There is no cause for secrecy in this will. Mr. Stoddard seems to feel that overybody should have been invited in when it was written. But that is not the way wills are prepared. There is no evidence tha Mr. Bennett ever consulted me upon law matters. Our friendship was personal, political and in the way of business."

For the remainder of his speech, Mr. Bryan discussed Mr. Bennett's return to New York, how he executed the will, placed it in a safe deposit vault and left it there without alteration three years, although he had overy opportunity to make such changes as he might have desired.

Attorney Newiou argued the law for Mr.

sired.
Attorney Newton argued the law for Mr.
Bryan's contention. Judge Stoddard then
moved that the sealed letter and the
clause in the will relating to it be disregarded in propating the will. Decision was

DENIAL FROM THE SON OF SLAIN J. A. SCOTT

he following letter for publication: Richmond, Va., Oct. 26, 1903.

makes this stutement to the public:

BIG TRUCK HIGH MARKS OVERTURNED

A Crash Last Night While Great Excitement and Activity Speeding to a Pire.

TILLERMAN REINTZ HURT VIOLENT FLUCTUATIONS

Others Jumped and Escaped Injuries. A Blaze at the Lower Gas Works Was the Cause of the

Alarmi

Street and Williamsburg Avenue. Charles H. Reintz, tillerman, all escaped

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SANTIAGO FALLS AFTER HARD FIGHT

Insurgents Triumph in the Com.nican Republic: Present Government Docmed.

(By Associated Press.)
CAPE HAYTIEN, HAYTI, Oct. 26.—The town of Santlago in the Dominican Republic, was surrounded this morning by insurgent troops under the command of General Epifanio Rodriguez. After severe fighting, which lasted for several hours and during which a number of men were wounded, the revolutionists triumphed and Santlago fell into their hands.

The revolution, which has broken out in the northern part of the Republic of Santo Domingo and which has already resulted in the establishment of a provisional government at Puerto Plata, under the presidency of General Morales, was caused, according to advices received here, by the numerous custom-house frauds and the prevarieations of the Minsters of War and of F nance. The signat for the outbreak of the revolt was given at 2 o'clock on Saturday afternoon by three cannon shots. That same even-ing all the partisans of President Wos y Gil, at Puerto Plata were arrested. The inhabitants of Monte Cristi, La Logne inhabitants of Monte Crist, the Logical and Moca united and attacked Santiago, Telegraphic communication between Santiago and La Vega has teen severed. The revolutionary outbreak is extending, and the general opinion is that the government of President Wos y Gli is loss

FOR COTTON

in the Market.

tions for Day Break Records.

SOME EXCITEMENT ON LIVERPOOL EXCHANGE

ton Exchange to-day on rumors that de-

The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. S. Bradley, ex-Sonator Norwood, acting as best man. The bride and groom leave to-morrow at noon for Washington.

CRENSHAW PLAN IS **ADOPTED**

Bond Issue Settled by the Committee.

MINORITY REPORT TO THE COUNCIL

There May Be One in Favor of McCarthy Plan.

MATTER DISCUSSED AT GREAT LENGTH

Captain McCar.h/ Asks Twenty Min-

to Be Excused from

that of City Accountant McCarthy, those

of your per cent. bonds maturing in

cuble thereto.

The sinking fund is to commence on January 1, 1904, and shall be paid semi-annually at the rate of one and a half per cent for thirty-four years. This sinking fund shall be kept up until Octosinking fund shall be kept up until Octo-ber 1, 19a, or until all the bonds shall have been paid.

SESSION IN DETAIL.

The joint body was collected.

The joint body was called to order at 4:15 o'clock P. M., and the city account-ant was given thirty minutes in which

that the Crenshaw plan would leave the sinking fund \$464,459 short in eleven years. In contrasting this with his own plan, the speaker claimed that the latter would produce at the end of eleven years

"These figures cannot be contradicted

siderable excitement on the Liverpool Cotton Exchange to-day on rumors that destructive frosts in rhq American cotton belt probably would result in the next cotton crop not exceeding 11,000,000 bales. Prices jumped several points and anticipations of a "squeeze" next summer were expressed.

TRUE BILL FOUND

AGAINST DR. JAY

(By Associated Press.)
ASHVILLE, N. C., October 16.—The grand jury found a true bill against Dr. J. V. Jay, charged with the murder of his three children, and he will be arraigned for this crime to-morrow morning. Jay's wife is still critically ill.

SENATOR STEWART

WEDS YOUNG WIDOW

He Marries Mrs. Mary Agnes

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Cone, Widow of the Late
Theodore Cone.

(By Associated Press.)

ATLANTA, GA., Oct. 26.—United States
Senator William H. Stewart, of Nevada, was married to-night at 7 c'clock in a private parlor of the Pledmont Hotel, of Atlanta, to Mrs. Mary Agnes Cone, widow of the late Theodore C. Cone, of Georgia, and for several years past a resident of Washington, D. C.

The ceremony was private, the only witnesses being Hen. Thomas M. Norwood, of Savannah, who served in the Senate thirty years ago with Senator Stewart, Hon, Clark Howell and State Treasurer R. E. Park.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. S. Bradley, ex-Sonator Norwood, acting as best man. The bried and ground fearer the city attorney's condition, and he characer be so amended as not to be capable of heling twisted so so to fit such an several the charactric has subject, and the man who dered to meet him on the bond "Issue question was plineself an "oustart" and a "layman," for he had mede a dilient study of the subject, and claimed to have some sense.

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Parrott mining companies and thus end the Hilgation with the Amalgamated Copper Company. In this proposition Mr. Heinze oriers on behalf of MacGinnis and Lamm to sell their interests in the Boston and Montana and Parrott companies under certain conditions, the result of which would be to put all the properties in operation again.